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Representative – I am sorry we did not get to touch base during the opportunity zone conference. I hope that you found it helpful and am glad you were able to attend.

I did want to discuss the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement with you. We are making a significant push on that within the states, including among legislators. Various states have or are in the process of introducing resolutions of support – I know WV session is over, but I wanted to explore perhaps a bi-chamber, bipartisan letter of support for the USMCA.

Examples of several resolutions before -

South Carolina ([here](#))  
Alaska ([here](#))  
Montana ([here](#))  
Idaho ([here](#))  
Iowa ([here](#))  
Arizona ([here](#))  
Alabama ([here](#))  
Arkansas ([here](#))  
Tennessee ([here](#)) \*introduced in House  
North Carolina ([here](#)) \*introduced in House

I have also attached a legislative letter from Florida and one from Maine.

I will send you a separate email with more information – but would be great to talk about the benefits of the USMCA to West Virginia.

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**From:** Joshua Higginbotham <Joshua.Higginbotham@wvhouse.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 10, 2019 7:05 PM  
**To:** Crozer, William F. EOP/WHO <William.F.Crozer@who.eop.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: WH IGA Invitation (4/17): Opportunity Zone Conference with State, Local, Tribal, and Community Leaders

I am grateful & humbled by this opportunity to represent West Virginia.

I have filled out the online application. Please let me know what else I need to do moving forward.

With many blessings,

Joshua Higginbotham  
Chairman - West Virginia House Economic Development Committee

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**From:** Crozer, William F. EOP/WHO <William.F.Crozer@who.eop.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 10, 2019 5:47:21 PM

**To:** Joshua Higginbotham  
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*The White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs invites you to attend an*

**Opportunity Zone Conference with State, Local, Tribal, and Community Leaders**

*for briefings and discussion on recent regulatory and implementation developments, sharing best practices, and highlighting successes on*

**April 17, 2019**

**1:00 - 4:00 PM ET**

**Conference and Tour Registration Link: [Click here](#)**

If you are able to attend, please submit your information in the secure form. **Space is limited, and registrations will be confirmed by order of submission.** Please note that this invitation is non-transferrable and is limited to one individual.

It is essential that all information is submitted accurately. The information you submit must exactly match what is listed on your government issued identification that you will be required to present to Secret Service before entry onto White House grounds.

A list of frequently asked questions is outlined below. Please consult this list before reaching out to White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs staff. More information, including arrival instructions (i.e. address and times) and the itinerary, will be forthcoming. Pertinent event updates will be sent to the email address that you register with.

Sincerely,

William F. Crozer

Deputy Director

White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs

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Associate Director

White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs

**Frequently Asked Questions**

**What information do I need to submit in order to attend?** Clicking on the registration link provided above will outline the information you are required to submit in order to register to attend. Please do not fill out this information if you cannot attend. The information you submit must exactly match that of your government issued identification that you will be required to present to Secret Service before entering White House grounds.

**How do I know if I successfully registered?** Once you click on the registration link, fill out all required information, and submit it, you will receive a confirmation message to the email address you provided. Please make sure to check your spam/junk email folder if you do not receive this confirmation.

**What if the link does not work?** If the registration link provided does not work or will not properly load, try using a different browser. If you are still unable to register, please contact White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs staff.

**Can I bring a guest?** No.

**Is this invitation transferable?** No, this invitation is non-transferable unless discussed with the White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs. Any information submitted from an uninvited guest will not be processed.

**Is lodging and/or transportation provided?** No, registered attendees are responsible for their own accommodations, meals, and transportation to Washington, D.C. and throughout the duration of their visit. Due to federal regulations, we are unable to provide you with recommendations for travel and accommodations. Bottled water will be provided during the conference portion of the event. Lunch is not provided.

**Where do I go?** All events will take place on the White House complex. We will provide further information ahead of the event date.

**What time should I plan to arrive?** While the conference begins at 1:00 p.m., participants are advised to arrive by 12:30 p.m. in order to get through security.

**How do I get around Washington, D.C.?**For travel and transportation in Washington, D.C., taxis and ride sharing services are readily available. The metro is also a convenient way to travel. The closestmetro stops are Federal Triangle and Farragut West. More information on the metro, including travel times and maps, can be found by clicking [here](#).

**I have additional questions, who should I contact?** For questions not answered above, please contact Olivia Imhoff with White House Intergovernmental Affair ([Olivia.P.Imhoff2@who.eop.gov](mailto:Olivia.P.Imhoff2@who.eop.gov)).

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